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## A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE

RELATING TO COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF REFUSE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the People of the City and County of Honolulu:

SECTION 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to establish a one-year pilot program for bulky waste pick-ups to be administered by the City by appointments only.

SECTION 2. Chapter 9, Article 4, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 1990, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated by the revisor of ordinances and to read as follows:

#### "Sec. 9-4. Collection and removal of bulky wastes.

- (a) The collection and removal of bulky wastes from residential dwellings by the division are subject to payment by the owners of the dwelling units.
- (b) The director shall set the amount of charges under this section by rules adopted pursuant to HRS Chapter 91.
- (c) The charges shall be billed, collected, and subject to the provisions regarding delinquent charges as provided in Section 9-4.3.
- (d) The owners of dwelling units whose bulky wastes are collected by the division shall be required to pay the charge provided for in subsection (a) without exception.
- (e) Once an owner has arranged a date for bulky wastes removal with the city, the director or the director's authorized representative, including any contractor with whom the director contracts under this section and assistants, employees or agents of such contractor, shall remove bulky wastes on the street or sidewalk fronting the property as scheduled."

SECTION 3. Section 9-1.4, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 1990 ("Preparation and placement of refuse and recyclable materials by owner"), is amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:



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- "(d) Bulky wastes shall be collected under procedures determined by the director in accordance with Section 9-4.

  Bulky wastes shall be placed on the street, so as not to impede vehicular traffic, or sidewalk, so as not to impede pedestrian use, for collection no earlier than the evening before the [scheduled] arranged day(s) of collection.
  - (1) In the event bulky wastes are placed on the street or sidewalk fronting a property earlier than the evening before the [scheduled] <u>arranged</u> day(s) of collection, the owner of the abutting property shall be responsible for the removal and storage of such bulky wastes.
  - (2) In the event bulky wastes are placed on the street or sidewalk fronting a multi-unit residential building earlier than the evening before the [scheduled] <u>arranged</u> day(s) of collection, the property owner or the association of apartment owners of the abutting property shall be responsible for the removal and storage of such bulky wastes as set forth in Section 9-3.4(b)."

SECTION 4. Section 9-1.6, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 1990, is amended to read as follows:

### "Sec. 9-1.6 Disturbing receptacles prohibited.

No person shall:

- (a) Remove or disturb any refuse, green waste, and other recyclable materials as designated by the director from the place where the same has been placed for collection;
- (b) Collect or haul away any refuse, green waste, and other recyclable materials as designated by the director from the place where the same has been placed for collection;
- (c) Transport any refuse, green waste, and other recyclable materials as designated by the director; provided, that authorized persons may remove, disturb, collect, haul away or transport any refuse from the place where the same has been placed for collection. For purposes of this section, "authorized persons" shall mean:
  - (1) Owner;



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- (2) Division employees during authorized working hours; or
- (3) Licensed collector.
- (d) This section shall not apply to bulky wastes placed on the street or sidewalk earlier than the evening before the [scheduled] <u>arranged</u> day(s) of collection, in which case the property owner or the association of apartment owners of the abutting property shall remove and store such bulky wastes in accordance with Sec. 9-1.4(d)."

SECTION 5. Ordinance material to be repealed is bracketed and new material is underscored. When revising, compiling or printing this ordinance for inclusion in the Revised Ordinances of Honolulu, the revisor of ordinances need not include the brackets, the bracketed material or the underscoring.

SECTION 6. Pilot Program. The Department of Environmental Services shall implement a one-year pilot program for bulky waste pick-ups to be administered by the City by appointments only for a fee as provided in this ordinance.

At the conclusion of the one-year pilot program, the Department of Environmental Services shall report to the Council on the outcome of the one-year program. The report shall include, but is not limited to, the fees generated from this program and whether any rule changes or legislative action may be needed based on the results.



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Sections 2 and 6 of this ordinance shall b	take effect upon approval; provided that e repealed on, and Sections lonolulu 1990, shall be reenacted in the form in dinance took effect.
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Deputy Corporation Counsel	
APPROVED this day of	, 20
KIRK CALDWELL, Mayor City and County of Honolulu	MAY 29 2015